MONTSERRAT

INTERPRETATION (AMENDMENT) BILL

No. of 2012

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Montserrat Interpretation (Amendment) Bill No. of 2012

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A BILL FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERPRETATION ACT, 2011.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Montserrat, and by the Authority of the same as follows:—

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Interpretation (Amendment) Act, 2012.

2. Interpretation

In this Act—

"**principal Act**" means the Interpretation Act, 2011 (No. 12 of 2011).

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3. Amendment of sections 11 and 28

Sections 11(b)(ii) and 28(1) of the principal Act are amended by deleting the figures "65(1)" and substituting the figures "68(1)".

4. Amendment of section 55

Section 55 of the principal Act is amended by adding immediately after the word "Governor" the words "or Deputy Governor".

5. Insertion of new section 79A

The principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after section 79 the following new section:

"79A The Government Printer

- (1) The Governor acting on the advice of the Cabinet may, by Order, appoint a Government Printer who, subject to section 68, is responsible for publishing, in print or online, the *Gazette* or any enactment.
- (2) Where no appointment is made under subsection (1), the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly must act as the Government Printer.".

SPEAKER

Passed by the Legislative Assembly this day of , 2012.

CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY